

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN**

In re )  
CITY OF DETROIT, MICHIGAN, ) Chapter 9  
Debtor. ) Case No. 13-53846  
            ) Hon. Steven W. Rhodes  
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**NOTICE OF SYNCORA GUARANTEE INC.  
AND SYNCORA CAPITAL ASSURANCE INC.'S  
MOTION TO EXCLUDE THE TESTIMONY OF JOHN W. HILL**

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**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that on August 22, 2014 Syncora Capital Assurance Inc. and Syncora Guarantee Inc. ("Syncora") filed the *Syncora Guarantee Inc. and Syncora Capital Assurance Inc.'s Motion to Exclude the Testimony of John W. Hill* (the "Motion") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Michigan (the "Bankruptcy Court") seeking entry of an order to exclude the expert testimony of John W. Hill which was disclosed in his expert report and during his deposition.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that your rights may be affected by the relief sought in the Motion. You should read these papers carefully and discuss them with your attorney, if you have one. If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that if you do not want the Bankruptcy Court to grant the Syncora's Motion or you want the Bankruptcy Court to consider your views on the Motion, by **September 5, 2014**, you or your attorney must:

File with the Court a written response to the Motion explaining your position with the Bankruptcy Court electronically through the Bankruptcy Court's electronic case filing system in accordance with the Local Rules of the Bankruptcy Court or by mailing any objection or response to:<sup>1</sup>

United States Bankruptcy Court  
Theodore Levin Courthouse  
231 West Lafayette Street  
Detroit, MI 48226

You must also serve a copy of any objection or response upon:

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If an objection or response is timely filed and served, the clerk will schedule a hearing on the Motion and you will be served with a notice of the date, time and location of the hearing.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that if you or your attorney do not take these steps, the court may decide that you do not oppose the relief sought in the Motion and may enter an order granting such relief.**

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<sup>1</sup> A response must comply with F. R. Civ. P. 8(b), (c) and (e).

Dated: August 22, 2014

Respectfully submitted,

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